Rep. Rebekah Warren - House Bill 5931

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Dear Chairwoman Warren and members of the House Great Lakes and Environment Committee.

This letter is in reference to House Bill 5931 which discusses enforcement of the new EPA Lead Renovation, Repair and Painting program regulation (40 CFR Part 745).

I am writing this message to you as the EPA Lead RRP Training Program Manager for Performance Environmental Services, Inc.. I've been involved with training a few hundred people so far under the new regulation and as a result of discussions with the attending contractors, it appears that true enforcement of the new law would be very difficult at the federal EPA level. Since there is such a small presence of actual federal EPA inspectors in Michigan, this would not be the best implementation of the regulation. Instead, it appears that proper enforcement of the new regulation should be performed by the State of Michigan Department of Community Health Lead Hazard Remediation Program.

Thank you for your consideration.

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